

TWENTIETH DISTRICT.

Austin, Washington, and Burleson counties; Washington the returning county.—William Kercheval Homan, of Caldwell, Burleson county, was born in Fayetteville, Tennessee, August 14, 1847, and emigrated thence to Texas in August, 1860, locating at Austin, where he read law with Chandler & Turner; obtained license to practice at Cameron, Texas, March 4, 1869; engaged in journalism for three years, and in October, 1873, removed to Caldwell and commenced the practice of his profession; has been county and district attorney, and special judge of the District Court; elected to the Senate September 5, 1878, as an Independent Greenbacker, over Hon. Wm. Thompson, Democrat, by a majority of 1532 votes. Term expires November, 1882.